TSUKI
NO SHIPPO
CHAPTER 21

Shoujo Crusade is actually an asylum housing the most dangerously demented minds in Shoujo community.
NO!!
Our quest is world domination
Clang
So come and join us!
YOU TRICKED PEOPLE INTO THINKING YOU'RE A SCAN GROUP!!
SLAP
I was duped too!
AHH!
Xs

In 3 more days we'll officially hit 5 months. Quite an accomplishment we're still standing.
That's right.
HAPPY 5TH MONTH ANNIVERSARY !!
>.< if you can't beat 'em join 'em!
OKAY LET'S GET IT STARTED!!
And hopefully there will be many more to come.
ha ha ha
Now now you two, no PDA~
Aww...LET'S HOGGLE

We would like to wish you all a very happy April Fool's day. We hope you had a fun time both with being childish and reading our releases~_~.
We've reached the 3 month mark and in a month we'll reach half a year!! we'd like to thank all the staff who've helped us so much in keeping things going and being with us through thick and thin and also for those members who've always given us words of encouragements and your support.
we look forward growing old together XD
Enjoy today's release!!!

DIDN'T WE JUST REST NOT LONG AGO?
I... I WANT TO REST TOO ...
BUT ...
PRESS ON!
arf
PUFF
PUFF
PUFF
PUFF
PUFF
WAIT!
...
WAIT A MOMENT . .
LET'S REST FOR A WHILE.
AM... AM I SUCH A BOTHER?
THAT'S NOT IT! IT'S BECAUSE YUKI-CHAN LOOCKS SO TIRED ...
I.. I WANT TO CLIMB UP WITH YOU!
IF YOU CAN'T TAKE IT, YOU CAN ALWAYS BACKTRACK TO WHERE GREAT GRANDFATHER IS ...
YUKI CHAN ...
♪ MAMEZOU'S MANY DISGUISES ♪
JUST PUT IN A LITTLE MORE STRENGTH!
YOU'RE DOING GREAT MAMEZOU!
BOO ~ BOO ~
I... I HATE DOGS ...

DON'T OPEN THE FOOD BAG!
GRAB
IT WOULD BE TERRIBLE IF THE SMELL OF FOOD, ATTRACTS THE BEAR TOWARDS US!
UWAA ...
I'M HUNGRY; LET ME FINISH THE FOOD, TO LIGTHEN THE BAGGAGE LOAD.
STOP!
OPEN
HUNGRY
MAMEZOU IS RIGHT ...
BUT,
DON'T MAKE A FACE FULL OF HATRED ...
HUNGRY
HUNGRY
QUICKLY STAND UP
WE HAVE TO ENDURE TILL WE FIND A PLACE WHERE OUR VISION IS BETTER---
WAIT.. MAMEZOU, IS URIBOU MORE IMPORTANT THAN ME?
URIBOU IS MY FRIEND.
STOP WHINING, HURRY AND CLIMB!
I WILL PROTECT URIBOU
THEY DECIDED TO FOLLOW ON THEIR OWN...
MAMEZOU WHY DID YOU BRING ALONG URIBOU AND USAMARU?
TO THE BEARS THEY ARE FOOD TOO!

ANGER
I MIGTH BE CLIMBING THIS MOUNTAIN WITH A LOAD OF FOOD ...
I'M HUNGRY!
I ... I'M TIRED ...
FOOD
YOU CANNOT EAT URIBOU!
PUFF
PUFF
UGH ...
A... A CLIFF ...
THERE IS A STRAY PATH OVER THERE ...
arf
arf
arf
IF WE TAKE THE LONGER ROUTE, IT WOULD BE TOO LATE.
WHOOSH
WA!
UP
UP
ARE... ARE WE GONNA CLIMB THAT?

AHHHH!
UH~~
UGH~~
USA-SAMA, YOU'RE HEAVY!
UAH
.....
CLIMB ... CLIMB QUICKLY ...
OKAY ...
YOU CAN CLIMB UP~~~
TOUCH
OH, IT'S THAT IT'S SAFE.
POW POW
EVEN THOUGH I'VE BEEN TRAINING YOU FROM YOUN...
HUG
THIS IS MUCH BETTER!
SFX: PAIN
UGH!
WHAT'S WRONG?
WAAAA!
AHHH!
KER PLUNK
AH IT'S HIGH!
DON'T STRUGGLE, YOU'LL FALL...
ALL THE BEST ~~~
I STILL HAVE TO TRAVEL BACK AND FORTH TWO TIMES ...
SIGH

OUCH ...
IS EVERYONE ALRIGHT?
HANG IN THERE ---!
DIDN'T IT HAPPEN BECAUSE YOU MOVED AROUND TOO MUCH?
DON'T MOVE THIS TIME ROUND!
IS ...
YOUR LEG HURTING?
I'M FINE, HURRY AND GET ON.
UGH ...
I CAN CLIMB ON MY OWN!
CHOMP
CHOMP
I'LL USE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE A BITE ...
CHOMP
HANG IN THERE GOEMON ISHI-CHAN ...
!!
THIS IS BAD,
IT HAD TO HAVE A RELAPSE DURING SUCH TIMING ...

*T NOTE: KUNOICHI IS A FEMALE NINJA

HOOJIRO
OH.. IS THERE A LIVING PERSON WHO WAS CAUGHT BY THE BRIDGE'S TRAP?
YES.. SHE INSISTS THAT SHE'S A KUNOICHI* FROM FUJIBAYASHI, HOW SHOULD WE SETTLE THIS...

LET ME OUT--- LET ME OUT OF HERE!
HAVEN'T I TOLD YOU THAT YUURI'S GRANDFATHER IS A JOUNIN THE LEADER OF FUJIBAYASHI?
FUJI.. FUJIBAYASHI'S YUURI...
EH... THE REAL PERSON?

I'M... I'M HERE TO SEE GOEMON-SAMA!
GOEMON?
ARE'NT YOU ONE OF HATTORI HANZO'S BRIDE CANDIDATES?
FUJIBAYASHI'S YUURI, FOR WHAT REASON ARE YOU HERE IN HOOJIRO?
I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS!
I'M GOING TO COMPLAIN TO GRANDFATHER!

[I CAN'T ALLOW YOU TO STAY HERE AS MY BRIDE CANDIDATE ANYMORE]
[YUURI,]
THIS MORNING HANZO-SAMA SAID TO ME ...
YUURI IS NO LONGER HANZO-SAMA'S BRIDE CANDIDATE.
HAA?
[I HAVE SOMEONE I LOVE NOW]
AC... ACTUALLY ...
SO, WHERE'S GOEMON-SAMA?
I BET HE'S WITH USAGI!?
MUMM —
DOES... DOES THAT REFER TO USAGI?
WHO KNOWS?
ANYWAY IT HAS GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH YUURI ANYMORE ...

GU
IT'S BABY BEARS!
JUMP
WHAT'S WRONG?
USA-SAMA!
AH?
how cute!
I WANT TO REAR A BEAR---
DON'T... DON'T TOUCH THEM!
AAH~
HUG HUG
PAT
PAT
THESE BABY BEARS ARE SO CUTE~~~

BAMM
RUN
LET GO OF THE BEARS AND QUICKLY CLIMB TO A HIGHER GROUND ...
MY LEG ...
IS IMMOBILIZED.
UGH!
RRRR
GOEMON?
SFX: CRASH BANG
ROAR!

GYAAA!
SHAKE
SHAKE
!!
AH WA...
USAGI!
PIC
GRR
GRR
UWAAA...
LET GO OF USAGI!
YOU... YOU HORRIBLE BEAR.
BOX
OUCH!
BANG
BANG
BOOM

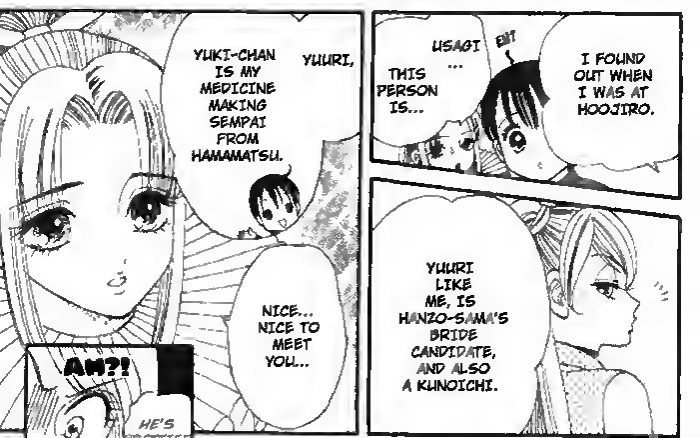
DAMN IT, AT SUCH A TIME ...
PIC
SBOOT
BANG
BANG
RRR
RRR
WAA!
AH!
AHHHHH!
THIS IS BAD ...
THIS IS REALLY BAD ...
AHHHH!
KA- KATANA!
AH?
USAGI ...
JUMP

WA!
SFX: KICK
AH!
PAU
LAND
SFX:BAMM

YUU...
YUURI?
DOKI
GOEMON-SAMA...

THIS WOMAN HAS A FOUL MOUTH...
BUT, AREN'T YOU THE ONE THAT SAVED ME?
I'LL NEVER WANT TO TOUCH A BEAR, AGAIN...
PEOPLE LIKE USAGI SHOULD JUST BE EATEN UP BY THE BEAR!
YOU STUPID WOMAN!
JUST LET IT REST.
YUURI ONLY INTENDED TO SAVE GOEMON-SAMA!

YUURI, HOW DID YOU KNOW WE WERE HERE?
DOKU
IT'S MY PLEASURE!
THANK YOU, YUURI.
IT WAS ALL BECAUSE YOU CAME ...


YUURI,
YUKI-CHAN IS MY MEDICINE MAKING SEMPAI FROM HAMAMATSU.
NICE... NICE TO MEET YOU...
AM?!
HE'S PRETTIER THAN ME!
USAGI ...
THIS PERSON IS...
EH?
I FOUND OUT WHEN I WAS AT HOOJIRO.
YUURI LIKE ME, IS HANZO-SAMA'S BRIDE CANDIDATE, AND ALSO A KUNOICHI.

SO... SO, AM I THE ONLY ONE LEFT AS HANZO-SAMA'S BRIDE CANDIDATE?
BLUSH
YUURI ...
CANNOT HIDE HER FEELINGS ANYMORE.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
BEFORE THAT, YUURI IS NO LONGER HANZO-SAMA'S BRIDE CANDIDATE.
EH?
SFX: YUYU
WHO KNOWS?
MAYBE IT'S BIG SISTER YUUNA SAMA?
HE
WHO IS IT?
SOMEONE ..
SOMEONE HE LOVES?
HANZO-SAMA SAID THAT HE ALREADY HAS SOMEONE HE LOVES.
BIG SISTER YUUNA-SAMA HAS ALSO BECOME A BRIDE CANDIDATE.
EHH?
YUU... YUURI'S ELDER SISTER IS THE ONE THAT IS PRETTIER AND BETTER AT HIKITSU THAN YUURI RIGHT?
Y-YOU!

ACTUALLY BIG SISTER HAS RETURNED TO THE VILLAGE ALREADY---
WHO KNOWS?
SHAKE
HAS... HAS IT BEEN DECIDED THAT IT WILL BE THAT PERSON?
THE . THE MOST IMPORTANT THING NOW IS TO PRODUCE THE IMMORTALITY POTION, THEN RETURN TO IGA..
GUCHI
WAI WAI
W-WHAT SHOULD ... SHOULD I DO?
YUKI-CHAN, PLEASE LOOK AT HIM!
OH, OH YEAH!
IS YOUR LEG HURTING?
HE BROKE HIS LEG IN EARLY SPRING, THE CONDITION DOESN'T LOOK GOOD...
OUCH!
WAS INFLICTED BY SOMEONE RIGHT?
IT'S HERE RIGHT.
THIS BONE FRACTURE ...

WHO... WHO DID THIS TO YOU?
GOEMON'S BOTH LEGS ARE NOT MOVABLE?
YOU'RE ... YOU'RE WRONG!
AH!
ISN'T IT THE SAME FOR YOUR RIGHT LEG TOO?
OUCH!
YUURI WILL TAKE REVENGE FOR YOU!
IT... IT WAS JUST MY CARELESSNESS DURING A JOB.
I'M GOING TO GRAB SOME HERBS ...
I'LL GO WITH YOU.

HAMEZOU, YOU'LL RAISE THE FIRE.
YUURI, I'M SORRY BUT WOULD YOU MIND FETCHING SOME WATER?
UH... OKAY ...
SURE!

ME TOO ...
WAIT.
GRAB
RUN

BLOW
IT LIT ---
TSK
TSK
TSK
GIVE IT TO ME.
TEC
TEC
TEC
MAMEZOU, YOU MUST GROW UP QUICKLY!
TCK
TCK
FU!
EH?
GROW UP QUICKLY, AND PROTECT USAGI.
WHAT ABOUT GOEMON NII-CHAN?
MY LEGS CAN NO LONGER PROTECT USAGI.

GOEMON NII-CHAN ...
ARE YOU DYING?
BUT IN THE MEAN TIME, WHO'S GONNA PROTECT HER?
TIC.
USA... USA-SAMA WILL CREATE A MEDICINE TO CURE YOUR LEGS!
IT'LL BE GREAT IF THAT'S THE CASE.
DON'T BLINDLY KILL ME,
WHAT I'M SAYING IS NOT THIS ...
BURST
I DON'T WANT YOU TO DIE!
MAMEZOU, WHAT IS YOUR MISSION?
YEAH ...
SUCH A CRYBABY IS INCAPABLE OF PROTECTING USAGI.
SNIF
TO... TO PROTECT USA-SAMA ...
THAT'S RIGHT.

I'VE FOUND THE AOTSUZURAHUJI*.
PROTECTING USAGI'S SMILE IS OUR MISSION ...
BECAUSE GOEMON WAS ALWAYS SMILING, I DID NOT REALIZE...
I TOTALLY DIDN'T REALIZE THAT GOEMON HAD HURT BOTH HIS LEGS---
I WILL HAVE TO TAKE BETTER CARE OF HIM IN THE FUTURE ...
THAT PLACE FULL OFF YELLOW FARMLAND IS HOOJIRO ---
AND NEAR THE MOUNTAIN STRAIGHT ACROSS, IS HANZO-SAMA'S HOMETOWN, SEIGACHI!
YUKI-CHAN, COME OVER HERE,
YOU CAN VIEW IGA FROM HERE!

*T NOTE: THE AOTSUZURAHUJI IS A TYPE OF PLANT WITH BLUISH PURPLE FRUITS THAT LOOK LIKE BERRIES. YOU USE FOR THE DIURESIS AND PAIN KILLING AND SOLUTION HEAT ETC.

IF WE ARE ABLE TO PRODUCE THE IMMORTALITY POTION, USAGI WILL HAVE TO RETURN THERE ...
THAT'S RIGHT!
I WANT TO KNOW SOONER,
WHO IS THE PERSON THAT HANZO-SAMA LOVES?
COULD IT BE ME?
AND MEET HANZO-SAMA SOONER!

HANZO SAMA
SHOCKED!
W-WHAT?
IT GIVES YOU A DRIVE!
YUKI-CHAN SHOULD TRY IT TOO, YOU'LL FEEL A LOT MORE RELAXED.
A DRIVE?
HANZO SAMA...
WAIT FOR ME...
MY LORD...
MY...
YOU'RE DOING GREAT, KEEP IT UP.

PLEASE STOP BEING SO UNREASONABLE!
STOP INSTRUCTING US TO MAKE THE IMMORTALITY POTION!
TH...AT'S RIG...HT!
BUT, WE WILL STILL WORK HARD!
POOR THING,
THAT MEDICINE MAKER HAS BEEN INFECTED BY USAGI'S STUPIDITY ...
USA-SAMA?
THEY'RE SO ENERGETIC.
YEAHHH!
OHH~~
I'M HEARING USAGI'S NONSENSICAL CRIES.
OH YEAH?
SO SHE'S STILL SAFE!

HOW SHAMEFUL.
I'VE BECOME THE MOST USELESS ONE HERE ...
UGH... HANZO-SAMA ..

GULP
HUUUU
AM SATISFIED AS LONG AS I CAN PROTECT USAGI'S SMILE
TO BE CONTINUED...
SHOUJO CRUSADE